

The Circulation of The  
Daily Evening Telegram  
for Week Ending Last  
Saturday was

22,450

A Daily Average of 3,741

## CITY EDITION

4 o'clock.

### TOO MILD

The Edict Regarding Punishment Will

### NOT BE ACCEPTED

It Merely Banishes The Ring Leaders.

London, Nov. 20.—The Morning Post's Pekin correspondent, wiring Saturday, says:

The edict inflicting punishment is milder than the first reports suggested. Prince Tuan and Prince Chwang are only banished and not imprisoned. Duke Lan is merely dismissed. The foreign envoys cannot accept the edict on account of the inadequacy of the punishments.

Count Von Waldersee officially announced that he has stopped looting and restored peace in the province of Chi-Li.

### ASSAULTED A LITTLE GIRL.

Bennington, Nov. 20.—In the municipal court here Dennis M. Blackmer, a prominent citizen charged with attempted assault on a nine-year-old girl some weeks ago, was held in the sum of \$1,000 for appearance before the grand jury which will not meet until next June.

At the time of the first hearing Blackmer attempted to commit suicide but failed.

## Fancy Boston Celery

2 BUNCHES FOR 25 CENTS.

G. J. TOWNE, - - BARRE, VT

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Who can furnish reference and are willing to hustle, to sell insurance on salary or commission. Address,

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## APPLES....

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## Art Novelty Store

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BARRE, VT., TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1900.

PRICE ONE CENT

The Daily Average of The  
Barre Evening Telegram  
For the seven months ending Nov.  
1st, 1900, was

3,819

This is the largest circulation of  
any daily paper in Vermont out-  
side of Burlington.

### AFTER THE GLOBE PRIZE.

(Special to TELEGRAM.)  
Randolph, Nov. 20.—The many friends of Miss Jennie Stewart, for many years one of the most popular and successful teachers in the Graded school, will make an earnest effort to secure her votes enough to win a free trip to Washington in the Daily Globe contest for popular New England teachers. Every reader of the Globe is requested to save the coupons for her and forward them to Miss Maurine Thayer, who will see that they are filled out and sent to the Globe. Those here can leave votes at Bass' book store.

### THE SHAW CASE.

Woodstock, Nov. 20.—The Shaw murder case, which was taken to the supreme court for hearing, has been put over to the January term.  
The case was heard this term, but decision was reserved until the disposal of the bill to abolish capital punishment, now pending in the legislature.

Frank Shaw, the respondent, was found guilty of murder in the first degree for killing Sheriff Hoffman in April last. He is now in the state prison for safe keeping.

### SPELLMAN CASE CONTINUED.

Rutland, Nov. 20.—The case against Mayor Spellman for contempt of court was continued until this afternoon.

### New Steamship Line.

Boston, Nov. 20.—The Scandinavian American Steamship line began service with this port by dispatching from Copenhagen today, one of the four steamers that will compose the line. They will make regular sailings and will be run in connection with the Boston and Maine railroad.

### Good Year for Ducks.

St. Albans, Nov. 20.—Duck hunters who have been to the lake to try their luck this fall report that ducks were never more plentiful than now. Large numbers of them have been shot by local sportsmen.

## LOCAL OPTION

Reported Adversely From  
Committee

### THURSDAY MORNING

It Will Come Up Again On  
Special Order.

### (Special to THE TELEGRAM.)

Montpelier, Nov. 20.—Both Houses got to work early this morning and a great deal of business has been transacted this forenoon.

The local option referendum bill was brought in on an adverse report this afternoon by the committee on temperance. It was made a special order for Thursday at 10.30 a. m.

### HOUSE MORNING.

The House got down to business promptly this morning, on several important measures. H. 75, to equalize taxation, drawn on recommendation of Mr. Bigelow of the double taxation commission, was given an adverse report by the judiciary committee and was killed without debate. H. 333, to equalize taxation by abolishing all offsets, suffered the same fate.

The three bills introduced by Barber of Barre town, i. e., H. 9, to reorganize the Supreme court, H. 11, to reorganize the County court, and H. 99, to reorganize Municipal courts in towns of more than 4,000 population, were all reported adversely and were all killed. H. 425, to regulate the sale of goods manufactured by convict labor in this state was killed.

Killed H. 3, making legal rate of interest 5 per cent. H. 367, 250, S. 7, 50, 59 ordered to third reading. H. 256, 344 legalizing grand list of Mount Holly and Swanton passed also S. 105. A discussion on H. 26, the value insurance policy bill followed.

The discussion was the best of the season thus far. The bill was supported by Gale of Guilford, Franklin of Townsend, Porter of Wilmington, Lewis of Norwich, Graves of Colchester, Stewart of Bakersfield and others. It was opposed by George of St. Albans, White of Rutland City, Emery of Chelsea and others.

The bill passed by a ye and nay vote of 169 to 40.

### SENATE MORNING.

The Senate this morning received many petitions favoring the prohibitory law. H. 278, private bill passed.

Reported favorably on the bill to elect one railroad commissioner by the legislature. It was opposed by Senator Clement of the Rutland R. R., on the grounds that it was an insult to the Governor. Passed to third reading H. 423, 433, 251, S. 96. Passed H. 188, 303, 392, 400, and S. 110.

The Senate had a busy afternoon yesterday. It passed in concurrence H. 257, relating to duties of inspection of finance; H. 268 making women eligible to certain municipal and town offices; 298 and 325 relating to law cases.

The governor notified the Senate that he had approved.

S. 3, to defray expenses of the Dewey celebration.

S. 5, relating to the custody and certifying officer of the records of the several railroad corporations predecessors in title to the Central Vermont Railway Co.

S. 35, to pay M. C. Chase.

S. 57, repealing Sec. 3526, V. S. relating to steam vehicles upon highways.

S. 61, to pay O. A. Baldwin.

S. 68, relating to the licensing of dogs.

S. 71, to amend charter of Montpelier.

S. 73, relating to husband's interest in estate of deceased wife.

S. 81, to legalize grand list of Canaan.

S. 102, laying tax upon county of Bennington.

S. 106, relating to proof of foreign wills.

The House killed H. 20 relating to sale of estate of deceased persons.

H. 180 providing for a state agent to purchase all liquors for town agencies.

H. 437, 438, 440, 446 amending certain Acts, also S. 80.

H. 451 regulating fees of town clerks.

S. 35 increasing bounties on wolves and rattlesnakes.

It killed S. 89 to encourage fruit growing, S. 121 limiting time to begin action in certain cases, S. 116 making Trust Co. eligible as executor.

A large number of Senate bills were read and referred. Another bill to pay back a peddler's license, H. 236 was ordered to a third reading.

The speaker's desk was all cleared up and the House adjourned and the committee went to work.

### TREATY WITH SPAIN.

Madrid, Nov. 20.—The session of the Spanish Cortes begins today. Americans are specially interested in the gathering this year because the extra-territorial, consular and general treaty with the United States that has been prepared to replace the treaties of 1875 and 1877 comes up for consideration. Mr. Bellamy Storer United States Minister expects that the Spanish government will have no difficulty in persuading the Cortes to approve, and it is believed the treaty will be ratified before Christmas. Several protests against custom house fines on American vessels and some settlement of the questions arising out of the peace treaty of 1898, are still under negotiation. The Spanish cabinet manifests a conciliatory spirit.

### TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF.

Randolph, Nov. 20.—Saturday, Ira Spear, aged 86, cut his throat with a razor. He did not quite sever the windpipe and may recover. He lived with his niece, Mrs. Selva Thayer of Braintree. He was never married. Two maternal uncles and one aunt committed suicide.

### RUSSIA SELLS TELEPHONES.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 20.—The telephone systems of the Russian cities were sold today at auction. The St. Petersburg Municipal Government bought the local franchise. The telephone has been managed by the Russian Government, which has found it an easier job to manage the Yellows in China than the Hellos in its own cities.

## LATEST STYLES

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Send to us for samples of Winter Dress Goods, Outing Flannels, etc. Call and see the Special Bargains we are offering in Fine Table Linens for Thanksgiving Sale.

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The Busy Corner.

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## The Great Bargain ...Sale...

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## Standard Clothing Co.,

M. S. LEVIN, Prop.,

174 Main Street,

Barre, Vt.

### DON'T WANT WATER CO.

Springfield, Nov. 20.—The citizens of this village are excited over an attempt to charter a water company to control the various water supplies of the town.

It is said to be the work of outside water works promoters with a few Springfield people for figure heads, many of whom now say they never saw the charter nor knew in what manner their names were even being used.

A protest is being prepared against the bill and it is being generally signed.

### BOSTON'S NEW GALLERY.

Boston, Nov. 20.—Under the direction of the Boston Art Students Association the first of a series of annual exhibitions to be called the New Gallery, was opened today in Copley hall. The new movement is the result of several years agitation. The display of oil and water color paintings, pastels and sculpture is very fine. Only original works of contemporary American artists are eligible. Success with the Art Student's Association is no new thing, as it managed the Hundred Masterpieces, the loan exhibition of Sargent portraits and the McCormick collection of old English masters.

### Lord Roberts Sails Today.

London, Nov. 20.—Lord "Bobs" is definitely expected to sail today, for home at Capetown, and a rousing welcome is in store for him. There is some fighting of a desultory character still going on, which another general can be trusted to take care of. Lord Roberts would have had the Boers entirely disorganized long ere this had not his military policy been modified to accord with Sir Alfred Milner's political ideas. The governor of Cape Colony advanced the idea that as Boers and English would have to live together in that land it is necessary that the military operations should provoke as little resentment as possible. Gen. Kitchener is at present in command, but as he has got along best when left entirely to himself it is probable that a general will be found for the command who can get along with Sir Alfred Milner more cordially than the hero of the Soudan can be expected to do.

## BOYS CLUB

Discussed By The Pro-  
motors Last Night

### PLAN OF THE WORK.

Formally Opened Yesterday  
Afternoon and Evening.

The Barre Boys' club which has for a long time been a fondly cherished hope for the future, has at last materialized and the club has been opened very successfully in the brick building purchased of the French estate, at the corner of Washington and Elm streets for a library site. The opening and the prospects for the future exceed the most sanguine hopes of the promoters of the worthy project. It is an assured fact that the club will start with about 100 members.

Efforts have been made at various times in the past to establish such an institution for the benefit of the boys of the city. Similar projects have been introduced on a small scale from time to time to try the public sentiment rather than with the expectation that they would be permanent. Last spring the W. C. T. U. took the matter in hand and deeming it to be time that something definite should be done they entered into correspondence with the officers of the National Boys Club Association and secured the presence of the National Secretary, John C. Eastman, at a mass meeting held at the opera house, Rev. Etie K. M. Jones, vice president of the W. C. T. U. presiding. This was last March.

At that meeting speeches were made by Mayor Hersey, Hon. J. W. Gordon, W. A. Boyce and others. It was moved that the chairman appoint a committee of three to organize the movement. That committee as appointed was O. G. Stickney, A. A. Sargent and George F. Scott. F. F. Cave accepted the position of treasurer and Mrs. E. A. Field performed the task of soliciting the needed funds by mail. To this latter appeal there was a generous response from the people of Barre and this fall the committee had on hand enough funds to warrant the establishment of the movement in a definite manner, so they secured the aforementioned building and fitted it up for a club.

The building is very well appointed in every particular. Superintendent and Mrs. Barnes will reside there occupying a room on the ground floor as kitchen and dining room and a sleeping room upstairs. At the right is the library, at the left the reception room, behind this the play room and in the ell at the rear the gymnasium while the rooms upstairs will be used as class rooms. Many guests were shown through the rooms yesterday by the reception committee consisting of the Rev. Etie K. M. Jones, Mrs. G. F. Scott, Mrs. L. D. Martin, Mrs. F. F. Cave, Mrs. E. A. Field and Mrs. O. G. Stickney.

In the evening the formal opening of the club rooms took place at 7 o'clock. From that hour until 7.45 the visitors were shown around by the ladies committee and served with coffee and cake.

Shortly before 8 o'clock the Rev. Brian C. Roberts entered with his 30 odd boys, which was the signal for the opening ceremonies, and Dr. O. G. Stickney, as chairman, thanked the visitors for their presence and asked the Rev. Etie K. M. Jones to bless the work which was being started by offering prayer.

Rev. Brian C. Roberts then turned his boys over to the club. In doing so he said: "I wish to hand over to the club some 30 odd boys, 30 odd, because they are odd in many things, but still everyone of them good boys. I first started with a few, then others until they have grown to this number. I have been interested in this work before, and when I came to Barre I thought I would start again, and here is the result. I have done the best I

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### O. V. APPOINTMENTS.

St. Albans, Nov. 20.—In circulars issued from the office of the superintendent of the Central Vermont Railway Co., signed by C. E. Soule superintendent, and approved by E. H. Fitzhugh, vice-president and general manager, the following appointments are made to take effect at once:

E. D. Nash of St. Albans is appointed assistant superintendent of the southern division with his office at New London, Conn., vice W. T. Sutphen, assigned to other duties by the company.

John Keefe of St. Albans is appointed train master of the northern division with office at St. Albans, vice E. D. Nash, promoted.

Both Mr. Nash and Mr. Keefe entered on their duties today.

### KNITTERS STILL OUT

Bennington, Nov. 20.—As was expected, the mill of the Campbell Knitting Co. did not resume work, and the chances that it will resume this week are light. Efforts have been made through the past week to secure help, but to little avail. The 118 women that went out a week ago gave their last notice Saturday afternoon that under no circumstances would they return to their labors only at the old rates.

### CAPITAL CITY NOTES.

Montpelier, Nov. 20.—Senator Dillingham went to New York Saturday evening and from there to Washington to select a boarding place and to finally decide on a choice of seats in the senate chamber. A few are vacant, but for each of them several claims have been filed and which will fall to his lot is yet a matter of considerable uncertainty. It is entirely a matter of priority in the filing of an application. The senator is expected home tonight or tomorrow. Senator Proctor will be in town again this week.—Journal.

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Barre, Vermont

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Presents the Operatic Play in 3 acts

## Rob Roy MacGregor

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Nov. 23 and 24, 1900

A Cast Composed of 75 People.

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ALTOS: Mrs. Wm. Rust, Miss Mary Park, Miss M. A. Hunter, Miss Bernice Darling, Miss Annie Ingles.  
TENORS: Ed. Mitchell, Alex. Cruikshank, George Brebner, David Mylie, Thos. Milne, John Mercer, Alex. Anderson.

### TICKETS:

Reserved Seats, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Admission, 25 cents. Tickets are on sale beginning Nov. 17th, at A. A. Smith & Bros. All tickets must be exchanged before Nov. 20th. Door open at 5.45. Curtain rises at 7.30.

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